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GROYDON PLAYED

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By LES SHORROCK

CROYDON City is seeking to get its State League match with Maribyrnong Polonia replayed, on the grounds that it was improperly deprived of a player for the whole of the second half.

At half-time during the Maribyrnong v Croydon game on April 17, referee Sam Zoumas took exception to a remark made by Croydon's Graham French as the players walked down the race.

The referee followed the Croydon players into their dressing room and warned him in front of the rest of the team to watch his language.

French didn't respond then, but as Zoumas left the room he heard French make another remark and he returned and told him, in effect, "you're off".

Croydon coach Miron Bleiberg said that he decided then to substitute French and told 16 year old Spencer Field to get ready to take his place.

But when he went to the referee's dressing room to clarify the position referee Zoumas said he wouldn't permit a substitution.

Bleiberg says, "He said to me, 'I want you to play with ten men for the second half and that was in front of the two linesmen, Messrs Barnett and Brazzal.

"I pleaded with him, saying Frenchie has been naughty and I'll co-operate with you by taking him off

and playing the boy instead, even though you didn't show him a red card.

"But he wouldn't budge and just repeated 'I want you to play with ten men'."

On Monday after the game, Croydon wrote to the VSF asking for French's passport back and got it.

This was after club had been informed that a 'sending-off', before a game, during the interval or after the game had to be the subject of a special report which would be heard by the Tribunal.

The VSF acceded to Croydon's request that French be allowed to play in the next match, against Box Hill, pending the Tribunal hearing, which took place last night (Wednesday).

Now the nub of the matter is this.

If Zoumas' action in sending off French was correct, he should have served a week's suspension the following week, in which case he had no right to play against Box Hill.

But if Zoumas was wrong, then Croydon is entitled to a replay, because it was wrongfully deprived of a player, costing it the game.

It doesn't end there, though.

If the Tribunal finds that Zoumas' action was right, where does Box Hill stand?

Shouldn't it be entitled to protest that Croydon forfeit the two points it obtained from their game because French was ineligible?



Graham French

• Len McKendry

JUVE CRISIS-McKENDRY QUITS

two and a half year how to improve it. association Brunswick Juventus players were asked Preston's lead and conceded 21 goals, ready to resume. ended when he resigned coaching position stayed loyal to a man Brown to take over as League, and it is on Saturday after didcussing situation with club president Dominic area were Tenuta.

The players had stayed behind after training the night before for a frank discussion on the

about McKendry's asked captain and the second highest coaching and declined to pass caretaker-coach. committee.

So McKendry to go for

McKendry's club's position and the good of the club, Juventus and he resigned.

But when the Juventus followed problem,

that decisions in that the pack somewhat Peter Laumets as a for another coach. the for Sunday's game, goalkeeper coach. prerogative of the with Peter Lewis It coming back from strengthened also by John Tenauta suspension, but to the return of Mike presently holidaying grasped the nettle no avail, as the black Petersen to the in Greece, who is no asked and Whites went midfield, but Andrew stranger down again.

has a defensive from they senior player Brian number in the taking steps to

will Zinni, despite having Juventus.

plainly the pin removed his injured having thumb, is still not

If appointing Brian Brown doesn't bring about the required improvement, Juve judgement, saying Brown reshuffled rectify that by hiring could look around

One who comes be readily to mind is Margaritis,



Brian Brown

SUNSHINE GEORGE CROSS LIFT OUT PAGES 8-9

DEDICATION THE KEY TO, SUCCESS tart of this South players of the calibre of Peter Laumets, Charlie "All the players in the "The development of our home-grown young" "All the players in the "The development of our home-grown young" "All the players in the "The development of our home-grown young" "All the players in the "The development of our home-grown young"



Con Giatas,

the sideboard, the Buffalo

Brian Garvey's ability to spirit is very important at bring out the best in his this stage of a player's younger players reinforced by its belief in its youth team.

coached by one of South's back-room boys', Steve Short, who is just about bursting with pride over his as yet unbeaten boys.

Three of youth team of last year, goalkeeper Con Giatas, defender Paul Fernandos and striker Kim Taliodoros have graduated to the senior squad and others are sure to follow.

Just what is the secret of South's youth success? If you ask Steve Short, he modestly turns aside

"Even a small taste of success can fire a boy and national representative. Steve Short knows that

good players aren't made overnight, some bloom early and then lose the urge, others reach their Many players may

leave his youth set-up at pared to become better players and if they make

already has one trophy on simply want them to enjoy coming embroiled in selfish club politics or being

> players fall by the wayside after being disappointed by coaches who have praising them and then overlooking them." Steve places a very high

premium on attitude too.

"Quite apart from constantly honing their skills and gaining a great game, it is so important that players appreciate by a knee injury.

that goes with the desire to stride." sadly, often lacking in present youth squad are

the grade at another club, today's youngsters. he's only too happy for "But it's great to work and most will still be under squad is Angie Karage- itos (17), Costa Perdthem, because their with those who have the age next season.



 South's Youth coach in his playing days. Short, who represented understanding of the Victoria was a stalwart and rugged defender whose career was cut short

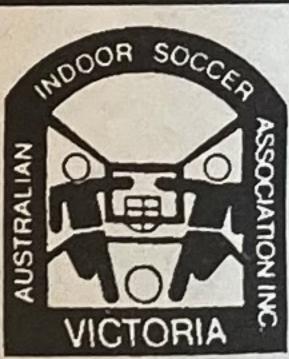
sense of responsibility will boys is having to tell one in playing for the South Koliba (15), Tony they reach the highest he hasn't been selected. Melbourne U/18 team "But that is part and and wishes to have a trial "Unfortunately, love of parcel of a coach's lot and for the Youth squad is Steve is satisfied that he the game and the hunger you have to take it in your welcome to contact club secretary Jim Armstrong, work hard and compete is Five of Steve Short's telephone no. 370 8197.

orgiou (15), Sonny Sevin haris (16), and Con success is all for the good dedication, and my only And he is always on the (15), Kieron Lennon (15), Argyrion (17).

that only with the correct unpleasant task in dealing lookout for more talent, so Paul Donnelly *18), attitude, dedication and a with such a great bunch of any boy who is interested Dennis Mihos (16), Jason Evangelias (17), Kris Robotis (17), Nick Andreads (17), Tony under fifteen years old, The present youth Hitos (17), Steve Karak-



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CLASH OF THE YEAR

ONE of the biggest Knox City 4-0 with two of the goals by Kebakoski, and will take one each by Tasevski and place not in the Nat- Ristovski, while Turku ional League, not in Gucu downed Westgate the State League, but 2-1, the goals coming from in the First Division, Latif and Diliberto. Gate Vardar Altona Gate and Turku tackles second Gucu level on eight placed Albion Turku points, with Altona Gate

In what promises to be a virtue of goal difference. memorable spectacle for An interesting sidelight Macedonian and Turkish to the big clash at Paisley soccer fans, the Altona Reserve in Altona North yet to concede a goal, will Turku Gucu's goalkeeper Gucu's dynamic striker for Vardar.

Latif, like Altona Gate former teammates? Vardar's Mendo Ris- Other well known tovski, has been scoring players on show will

Ossie Latiff... he'll test Altona Gate.

of The Gate defence, which has on Saturday at 3 pm is that Turku Gucu.

be fully tested by Turku Ernie Toth used to play been at the centre of an then certainly next week, Can he keep out his between JUST and Turku Croatia. every week. Both players include Vardar goal- switched to Turku Gucu, played in virtually every

Hungaria. Watch out too 1988 season. Last weekend, Altona for wellknown Turkish

> ... aims

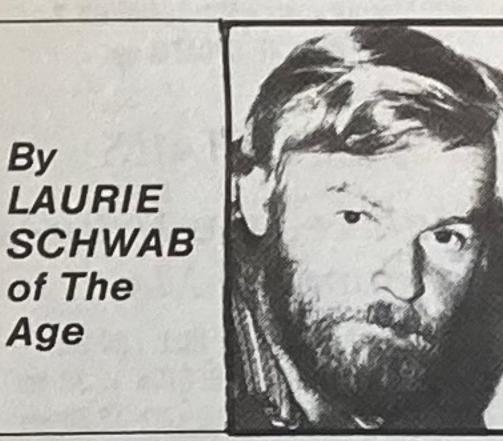
MIKE Petersen and

Olympic Village ground bourne Hellas.

with the reserves last likely to contact John



Mendo Ritovski.



ownership wrangle against

Last year, when he Durakovic, who has starred in the NSL with keeper Lee and defender the new club agreed to position, is likely to Footscray JUST, while Momirovski who used to pay him the balance of his become the new right Turku Gucu has other play for Preston-Make- contract for that season back, as Peter Lewis soon former JUST players in donia, and Drinoczky and that it would release will move to Queensland. Marino Oblak and Goce who is ex-Melbourne him back to JUST for the Following the sacking

JUST president Joe Gate Vardar thrashed player Yasar Behic of Sterpin was complaining a few weeks ago that this had not been done.

Juventus

Mehmet Durakovic youth team. return after injury to Juventus is concerned play for Brunswick about its goalkeeping Juventus against Ade- position, as Pat Marama laide Juventus at has cost the club a few Olympic Park on goals recently and it Sunday.

two matches, is also due to Incidentally, Latif has resume - if not this week, Melbourne

of coach Len McKendry, Brian Brown as playercoach, we might see Rino Minichiello being given a run in the senior team.

He has played in Italy for 18 months but was told on his return that there was no place for him in the senior squad and that he should train with the

would not surprise to see The match has been Peter Laumets, being reswitched from the cruited from South Mel-

because Alexander has a Brown has been home game there this appointed as coach until Sunday, scoring two goals Margaritis, the man who in a 4-0 victory over led it to the 1984 NSL



SPORTS

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at Brandon Park, Sunday. Crowd 2995. Referee G. Power.

73rd)SOUTH MELBOURNE 0

Campbell 44th, Stewart 46th)

Stevenson, Dimovski. Coach Ron Campbell.

FOOTSCRAY 1 (Crino, pen. 52nd)

- Dimoski, Spink. Coach Mirsad Fazlagich.

APIA LEICHHARDT 1 (McKinna 51st)

SYDNEY CROATIA 1 (Lamond 50th)

at St George Stadium, Crowd 4200. Referee J. Fraser.

SUNSHINE GEORGE CROSS (Parton 82nd)

Coach John Fleming.

Palatsides 83rd)

Campelj, Parton (Geo. X).

Clark. Coach John Gardiner.

lan Wallace.

Coach Rale Rasic.

ST. GEORGE 0

Lamond, Vedran Rozic.

Miller 75th)

Dwyer, Meredith.

MARCONI 1 (Gomez 13th)

67th), Patalis. Coach Eddie Thomson.

70th), Maxwell. Coach Zoran Matic.

BRISBANE LIONS 1 (Ogden 22nd)

SYDNEY OLYMPIC 1 (Patalis 50th)

MELBOURNE CROATIA 0

NATIONAL LEAGUE ROUND-UP

Round Twelve Details *

WOLLONGONG: Young - Skeen, Vlietstra, Radcliffe, Hollifield -

Ainsworth (Cokely 77th), Brodnik, Morlndo, Crainie - Brazil, Easthorpe.

SOUTH MELBOURNE: Giatas — Healy, Russell, Blair, Postecoglou —

Tasios, (Taliodoros 68th), Micheil, Kalogeros, Tsolakis — Wright (Fernades

73rd), Trimboli. Coach Brian Garvey.

PRESTON MAKEDONIA 4 (Stevenson 41st, 57th,

BRUNSWICK JUVENTUS: (Egan 29th, McDowall 69th,

PRESTON MAKEDONIA: Traianides — Opasinis, Jackson, Tasevski

(Piculovski 53rd), Roadhouse - Stewart, Petrov, Campbell, Gojevic -

BRUNSWICK JUVENTUS: Marrama — Lewis, Yzendoorn, Brown, Marley

- McDowall, Incantalupu, Patterson, McGrellis - Egan, Palatsides.

at Schintler Reserve, Sunday. Crowd 3125. Referee M. Browning. Sent

off van Egmond (Foots). Cautions Spink, Burlak (Foots), Waddell,

FOOTSCRAY: Nikitovic - Deankovic - Barjaktarevic, Karic, van

Egmond (sent off64th), Fabrizio - Burlak (James 64th), Crino, Mitrovski

GEORGE CROSS: Keogh - Marth, Waddell, Parton, Campelj -

McLaren, Markovac, Ketsakides (Taylor 86th), Markovski - Lennon,

MELBOURNE CROATIA: Olver - Davidson, Dobson, Hannah,

Donnelly - Selemidis, Biskic, Milosevic, Dunn - Lewis, Scott. Coach

APIA LEICHHARDT: Greedy — de Marigny, Bertogna, Yankos, Brown —

Bundalo, Stewart, Phillips, Butler (Parison 69th) - McKinna, Ward.

ST. GEORGE: Gibson, O'Connor, O'Shea, Grbevski - Ricoy, Moffitt,

Tortevski (Fletcher 46th) - Pottier - Hagan, Ollerenshaw. Coach Frank

SYDNEY CROATIA: Franken - Jones, Hunter, Rozic, Jennings -

Petkovic (Rezo 79th), Foster, Clinch - Slater (Ingham 86th), Arnold,

MARCONI: Catlin - Gomez (Carter 40th), Henderson, Calderan,

Wheatly - Gray, McCulloch, Nastevski - Farina, de Jong, Lowe. Coach

SYDNEY OLYMPIC: Gosling - Hooker, Haniotis, Coady, Ironside -

Phillips, Polak, Saad, Pontidas (Raskopolous 73rd) — Kosmina (Soper

ADELAIDE CITY 5 (Maxwell 18th, 36th, 81st Villani 49th,

ADELAIDE CITY: Zabica - Shillabeer, Nyskohus, Flounders, Tobin -

Villani (Santrac 60th) Sorensen, Vidmar, Northcote - Mullen (Miller

BRISBANE LIONS: Kearton - Ogden, Mengotti, Cummings,

Bassingthwaite - Niven, Hairord, Stewart, Drury, (Clarkson 65th),-

SYDNEY CROATIA 3 (Clinch 25th, Lamond 54th, Arnold

at Croatian Sports Centre, Wednesday. Crowd 3000. Referee T. Seacy.

"it's a steal,"

BRUNSWICK JUVENTUS 1 (Palatsides, pen. 64th).

at Olympic Sportsfield, Sunday. Crowd 3250. Referee J. Rossis.

at Marconi Stadium, Sunday. Crowd 4900. Referee R. LoRenc.

at Olympic Park, Sunday. Crowd 1000. Referee D. Voutsinas.

at Connor Reserve, Sunday. Crowd 2500. Referee D. Campbell.

WOLLONGONG 4 (Easthorpe 21st, 51st, 55th, Crainie

Five minutes later he

The entire second half

However, Saints,

NSL REPORTS

Marconi hold Olympic

draw at Marconi Stadium. replaced at half time

MAN OF

...

GERRY GOMEZ

THE MATCH:

MARCONI 1 (Gomez

SYDNEY OLYMPIC 1

managed to hold off a last

take a point from a 1-1

Olympic

(Patalis 50th)

SOUTH THRASHED

IN an entertaining game **WOLLONGONG 4** (Easthorpe 21st, ditch stand by Marconi to 50th, 62nd, Crainie STH MELBOURNE 0

The Fairfielders scored having suffered a suspecin the 13th minute when a ted broken toe by Geoff WOLLONGONG City Robbie Wheatley corner Gunning. continue to defy their found Gomez climbing Sydney Leagoe critics with high above the Olympic equalised only four minanother outstanding per- defenders to beat Gosling tues after the break in formance which retained with a well timed header. similar fashion to the way their place at the head of David Lowe was Marconi had opened the Crowd: 4900. the premiership table.

Rangy striker Randell Easthorpe grabbed a hat- MELBOURNE trick as the South Coast | CROATIA O team outclassed South APIA LEICHHARDT Melbourne 4-0 in a one- (McKenna 51st) sided game at Brandon

goalkeeper Terry Greedy It was the 21-year-old was among the best Easthorpe's first National players as reigning cham-League hat-trick and pion Apia-Leichhardt while he was the hero of strengthened its bid for a Parison with 20 minutes the net only to be ruled Thomson. the Wollongong fans' place in the top five by to go but it was Croatia Danny Crainie was not far beating Melbourne Croatia 1-0 in their match

Crainie, a former South at Olympic Park. Melbourne midfielder, Greedy had been in sliced through the visitors' Tony Pezzano's shadow Brian Garvey must be for the No.1 goalkeeping wondering why the club spot at Apia a little over a ADELAIDE CITY 5

MAN OF THE MATCH: . . . RANDELL EASTHORPE

"I thought we played well for the first 20 badly after that and I exminutes after Easthorpe ran on to a through ball

Five minutes after the bourne failed to clear a right and he completed his hat-trick eleven minutes

With 18 minutes to play. Crainie again orpe and the striker laid

keeper Terry Greedy was 62nd minute. five at Olympic Park.

Lightbown and David Miller.

in the 36th minute after City's Danish import

Jesper Sorensen's shot rebounded and was netted by Maxwell. Lions' only goal came in the 22nd minute when

defender John Ogden's shot dribbled into the net.

mentally," he said.

galloped on to a pass from the top five is a long way goal.

down in a challenge by being without Grant field with the help of - John Campbelj and

scoring when a corner was ST GEORGE O whipped across finding SYDNEY CROATIA 1 (Lamond 49th)

of highlights as well as some sloppy play at times by both teams and a draw is probably a fair reflection of the game.

Marshall Soper replaced John Kosmina in Kosrina with Marshall the 66th however he was Soper in the 67th minute settling down to call many unable to penetrate any only to see the substitute of the shots Croatia was more than Kosmina was miss a winning chance the far more creative side. although the crowd was eight minutes later.

Terry Patalis who headed

CROATIA THWARTED

Lions coach Juan

made him one of the stars BRISBANE LIONS 1 of the Socceroos for so (Ogden 22nd)

Croatia was out- Maxwell and goals by

The Sydney team fullback David however, held out due to the steady play of sweeper Charlie Yankos, who interval Easthorpe struck halftime with a thundering almost scored just before again when South Mel- long range drive that

Brodnik crossed to Easth- Jeff Olver. the ball perfectly for The Apia midfield found despite its win. Crainie to curl it out of the more space after Mel- "They didn't play City keeper Robert 77th minute.

among the best players as Selemidis' departure "But sometimes we injury, net in the 49th had blocked the initial reigning champion Apia- from centre midfield play hard and don't win minute. Leichhardt strengthened meant that Brnako and sometimes we play Miller took his time Van Egmond impeded Clark had shots on goal its bid for a place in the top Milosevic moved in from bad and win.

Tony Pezzano's shadow Ward but shot wide in the off." for more than a year 60th minute while The Lions' depleted came in the 81st minute Referee Mike Browning before finally cracking it Croatia's Lewis appealed side had a hard battle on when he brought the ball of Adelaide booked five for the top goalkeeping for a penalty when he went its hands from the start up from the middle of the other players in the match

Olympic

THE MATCH: . . . The win was essentia

minutes after the break ninth position on the NSL when a loose ball fell to ladder last Wednesday striker Laurie McKinna when Sydney Croatia whose shot deflected off beat Brunswick Juventus brought the fans to their defender Ian Dobson and feet when midfielder Pat swerved past goalkeaper. City coach Zoran City coach Zoran swerved past goalkeeper Matic was not overly impressed with his team.

He probably saved the Yankos. match for Apia when he Referee Dennis Hunter due to sus- He outran Lions' Frank Warren Spink and Mick blocked a close range shot Voutsinas turned down pensiona nd captain Mengotti and outman- Burlack (Footscray). for NSL top scorer Paul the appeal.

Frank Liddell, who was ocuvred keeper Jason Footscray had taken the

back from an overseas trip FORMER Socceroo his team to his assistant

Lewis put the ball into bar.

(Maxwell 18th, 36th, He showed that he has 81st, Villani 49, Miller not lost the agility that 75)

He probably saved the roared to a 5-1 victory going like this," he said. blocked a close range shot Olympic Sports Field. from NSL top scorer Paul A superb hat-trick by Lewis in the 16th minute. City striker Steve

playing Apia during the midfielder Charley Villani first half with Lewis giving and substitute pected a lot more from my his marker. Arno Miller gave City its home Bertogna, a hard time and town victory and kept minute with a shot which their first goal after 21 havoc on the right flank.

The Sudgest Action alive its chances of havoc on the right flank.

The Sudgest Action alive its chances of making the top five.

The Sudgest Action alive its chances of making the top five.

Crainie corner from the crashed against the cross Apia took the lead six after City slumped to

Apia coach Rale Rasic. out with a damaged knee. Kearton to find the goal. lead in the 52nd minute

THE MATCH:

. . .

LAURIE MCKINNA

during which he entrusted Utjesenovic, replaced hard working Terry Butler with the more attacking Anthony offside and a header by de-

recent weeks. defence time after time for more than a year and his former coach before finally cracking it LIONS MAULED

> Cutillas said he felt pretty bad about his team's performance.

playing badly, they're too ADELAIDE City has casual and it can't keep

match for Apia when he over the Brisbane Lions at "We were very lucky with two hsots reboundin gout of goal and at other times we were caught flat-

striker Maxwell opened

48th minute when striker himself across the goal minute when he made a second half Preston Peter Dywer's shot re- line to punch the shot by good save after the mid- surged further ahead when bounded and was caught Parton but the referee fielder had shrugged off John Stewart headed a by teammate Alex ruled the ball had already three challenges in a run George Petrov free kick Cummings, who repeated crossed the line and forward tohit a shot from into the back of the net. the performance before awarded the goal in the the edge of the bar.

with a shot in the 75th Clark outside the box and before Cross finally the flank to fill the gap. "This gives me a bit minute but it paid off and was shown the red card equalised from Parton's Apia's Hilton Philips more hope but to finish in brought up City's fourth even though he hadn't scrambled effort.

Maxwell's hat-trick the match.

ball home from beneath the goalpost

Sydney Croatia Wins

LATE substitution may was at it again, but his chip have cost Sydney from the left struck the Olympic maximum points crossbar before running was chock full

Olympic coach Eddie entertainment after an replaced earlier period that is best Socceroo striker John With Craig Forster

Striker Terry Patalis inspired in the second half crossed the ball for the by some fine running and right to the waiting Soper foot work by substitute in the Marconi danger Graeme area but the forward lost pressurised spasmodicontrol and the ball cally towards the end.

screwed off his boot. In fact just before the "Marshall should have whistle defender Mike put away that goal. O'Shea was almost Kosmina would have put through for a goal which it into the net and maybe I would have been an unmade a mistake in deserved equaliser.

replacing him," said Croatia coach Vedran Rozio said: "I was pleased 21-year-old that we managed today's fender George Hannah Lamond netted his third win at the end of five flashed narrowly over the goal in successive games match sequence over 14 as Croatia continued its days. He should do well fine improvement of now we are back to weekly

Whilst his goal con- St George's Frank element of luck it was "Too many nevertheless mainly a passes," he said simply product of his sheer speed. "We are in a lot of trouble The Papua New if we can't handle

> MAN OF THE MATCH ... MANIS LAMOND

GEORGIE GRABS POINT

Warren Spink.

raced thrugh to take a next week."

chancy shot which

bounced off opposing

goalkeeper Mike Gibson

Saints' sweeper Steve

O'Connor was tardy in

clearing from the line and

Lamond's momentum

FOOTSCRAY 1 (Crino through Socceroo Oscar Preston equalised in the

Parton salvaged an important competition scray's danger man and point for Sunshine George had come close to scoring Cross when he scrambled early in the match forcing to a goal to give his team a Keogh into a good save 1-1 draw with Footscray with a direct free kick for

at Schintler Reserve. The Queenslander's Footscray defender The cross keeper also had two near misses in the Drago Deankovic threw denied Crino in the 61st Two minutes into the

John Waddell (Cross) and

reach of goalkeeper Con bourne Croatia replaced terribly well. four or five Zabica eventually saved. Parton hit his shot after after falling behind and team 10 minutes later Giatas from 18 metres. Theo Selemidis with players may have been The second half also running onto a loose ball almost equalised in the when he squeezed the ball Former Socceroo goal- flanker Joe Caleta in the here physically but not saw Villani, just re- when Footscray goal- 54th minute when Clark's past Marrama to put the covered from an ankle keeper Zoran Nikitovic shot on the turn hit the home side 4-1 up. bottom of the post. shot from Gary Clark.

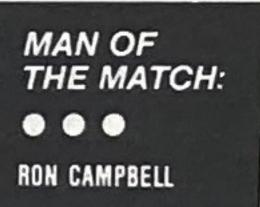
Don McLaren and Late in the game it been booked previously in

almost snatched a winner

. . .

Juventus down again

PRESTON **MAKEDONIA 4** (Stevenson 42nd, 57th Campbell 45th, J. Stewart 47th) BRUNSWICK JUVENTUS 3 (Egan 30th, McDowall 69th Paltsidis 83rd pen).



BRUNSWICK Juventus sunk to a 4-3 defeat against Preston only 24 hours after sacking coach Len McKendry.

McKendry had been under pressure all season and with only one win from 11 League games was finally shown the door with captain Brian Brown taking over as caretaker

Both teams started the game undermanned -Brunswick missed Mike Petersen and Andrew Zinni while Preston was without striker Steve Smith, who has broken his

left wrist. Guinea-born Lamond Wollongong City at home Nevertheless the game turned into a goal feast as Preston swung to a 4-1 lead early in the second half before a late revival by Brunswick which had the crowd on edge until the

final whistle. Brunswick opened the

scoring in the 29th minute when Charlie Egen scored from a Garry McDowall

Crino, who converted a 41st minute when Striker penalty awarded for a foul Stuart Stevenson conby Sean Keogh on trolled a loose ball in the area and netted from close Crino had been Foot- range. On the stroke of half

> time the home side took the lead when Stevenson flicked the ball to Ron Campbell, who headed past Pat Marrama.

Stevenson appeared to

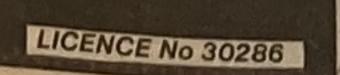
Cross lifted its game seal the game for the home

Brunswick had different ideas and in the 69th had moved into a striking role, scored from a Charlie Egan pass.

The team continued to but Nikitovic made a good push forward and with save from a shot by Robert seven minutes left Preston substitute Bill Piculovski handled the ball in his penalty area.

Joe Palatsidas slotted away the penalty but it was no more than a consolation goal.

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...7 nights from "Grab this while it's going," says Scott Patterson.

HOW THEY STAND

S. GEORGE CROSS

Melbourne Croatia

Footscray

St George

B. Juventus

Sth. Melb.

Sunshine G.X.

Melb Croatia

Oakleigh

Clarinda

Footscray

Clifton Hill

Heidelberg Utd

Caulfield City

Nunawading C

Wav/Mulg Utd

Preston

SOUTH MELBOURNE

Youth League Results

Round Twelve

NUNAWADING CITY O OAKLEIGH 1

FOOTSCRAY O ST GEORGE CROSS 1

CAULFIELD CITY O HEIDELBERG 4

PRESTON O JUVENTUS 4

CLIFTON HILL 2 SOUTH MELBOURNE 2

CLARINDA 6 WAV/MULGRAVE UN 2

MELBOURNE CROATIA bye

NSL DETAILS

Youth League Fixtures

Round 13 May 1

CLARINDA v CLIFTON HILL 1.00 pm

SOUTH MELBOURNE v PRESTON 12.30 pm

B. JUVENTUS v CAULFIELD CITY 12.30 pm

HEIDELBERG v MELBOURNE CROATIA 1.00 pm

S. GEORGE CROSS v NUNAWADING CITY 12.30 pm

WAV/MULGRAVE UN v OAKLEIGH 1.00 pm

FOOTSCRAY bye

8. Paul Lewis (M. Cr) (2 pens)

7. Farina (Marc)

5. Egan (Juve)

Maxwell (Adcity)

Postecoglou (S.M.)

Ollerenshaw (St.G)

Saad (Olymp) (2 pens)

6. Palatsides (Juve)

Phillips (APIA)

Spink (Foots)

Crino (Foots)

Gray (Marc)

Tasios (S.M)

Brazil (Woll)

3. Arnold (Syd Cr)

Dimoski (Foots)

Easthorpe (Woll)

Gomez (Marc)

Koczka (St.G)

Lennon (G.X)

McLaren (G.X)

Meredith (Lions)

Nastevski (Marc)

Taliodoros (S.M)

Trimboli (S.M)

Vidmar (Adcity)

Brodnik (Woll)

Brundalo (APIA)

Campbell (P.M)

Campelj (G.X)

Carter (G.X)

Crainie (Woll)

Dwyer (Lions)

Druery (Lions)

Fletcher (St.G)

Lightbown (Lions)

McKinna (APIA)

Murphy (M. Cro)

Nastevski (Marc)

Hagan (St.G)

Lowe (Marc)

Parton (G.X)

Patalis (Syd.O)

Pontidas (Olymp)

Ilic (St.G)

2. Ainsworth (Woll) (1pen)

R.Stewart (Lions)

4. Clark (GX)

Leading Goalscorers

NATIONAL LEAGUE

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YOUTH LADDER

SYDNEY CROATIA: Franken - Jones, Hunter, Rozic, Jennings - Clinch, Stevenson (P.M) Foster, Petcovic (sub Rezo 65th), Arnold - Slater, Lamond. Coach Stewart J. (P.M) Vedran Rozic BRUNSWICK JUVENTUS: Marrama - Marley, Yzendoorn, Brown, PLEASE NOTE: YOUTH LEAGUE RESULTS AND LEAGUE Incantalupo - McDowall, McGrellis, Patterson, Lane (Beltic 71st), LADDER ARE AS SUPPLIED BY THE VSC AND ARE NOT COMPILED BY SOCCER STAR. Egan, Palatsides. Coach Len McKendry. **EXPO** '88 7 Nights in Brisbane or the April Bargains Gold Coast from only

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Adelaide City's Steve Maxwell - his hat-

trick last week moved him up to joint

second place - Frank Farina. Beware.

All the

are

Footscray's Luciano Fabrizio takes on Robert Markovac.



Footscray's warren spink



Robert Napoli and Angie Goutzoulios.



ROUGH JUSTICE!

THE Gary McDowall case has made it perfectly clear to those of us who believe in justice that there is an urgent need for a complete revision of the system which deals with soccer's law-breakers.

The Socceroo defencer was tried three times, found guilty three times and punished three times for the same offence and on no occasion was he allowed to say one word in his

This clearly goes against not only the letter of the law, but the moral rights of anyone living in a democratic society.

Even the most hardened and habitual criminals are given the right and the machinery to defend themselves against

The fact that McDowall and many others before and no doubt, after him will not be treated with the same courtesy is surely a black mark on soccer's judicial system.

At the moment, even on an every day level, players who stand accused of breaking the laws of the game, are judged guilty until proven innocent. And even if they do prove themselves innocent, it is often too late.

Those ordered off, for example, automatically miss the following game. No consideration is given to the possibility that the referee may have made a mistake perhaps with the identity of the player involved, which has happened on more than one occasion in the past.

Such an offhand manner of dealing with supposed transgressors smacks of kangaroo court procedure and the ironical thing is that soccer in Australia has more lawyers than you can shake a stick at.

With so many qualified men, why is it that Australian soccer can allow such a blatant disregard for human rights?

BRIAN

Herald

Melbourne

And why is that with such a neanderthal system of justice, can the Australian Soccer Federation set itself above the game's ultimate authority, FIFA?

It certainly did this in the McDowall case when it followed up FIFA's three-game suspension with a much longer ban of its own.

One explanation is that the Australian Olympic Federation applied a little pressure in a letter to the ASF.

That wouldn't surprise me.

The Olympic Games authorities have been fighting their own problems with political interference, blood-doping, drugtaking and professionals competing as amateurs, and is probably very touchy about its image.

But I can't see what right it has to interfere in

After all, it has been more than happy to let FIFA run soccer at the Olympics — and very successfully too - for a long time now. Be that as it may, the over-riding issue con-

attitude adopted by the various disciplinary committees throughout the country.

No player should be punished auto-

Australian Rules has its Monday night tribunal in which all miscreants are tried in a proper manner.

It is high time soccer adopted the same There is no need to call a full court hearing

every time a player has been sent off. But those who wish to defend themselves should be allowed to do so before being sentenced.

Those who don't want to, will have obviously accepted their guilt and are therefore prepared to accept the punishment that goes with it.

Referees are by no means infallible, even they admit that. Therefore it follows that players are sometimes unjustly punished.

It would be much better for all concerned and the game in general — if we adopted the old cliche that justice must not only be done, but must also be seen to be done.

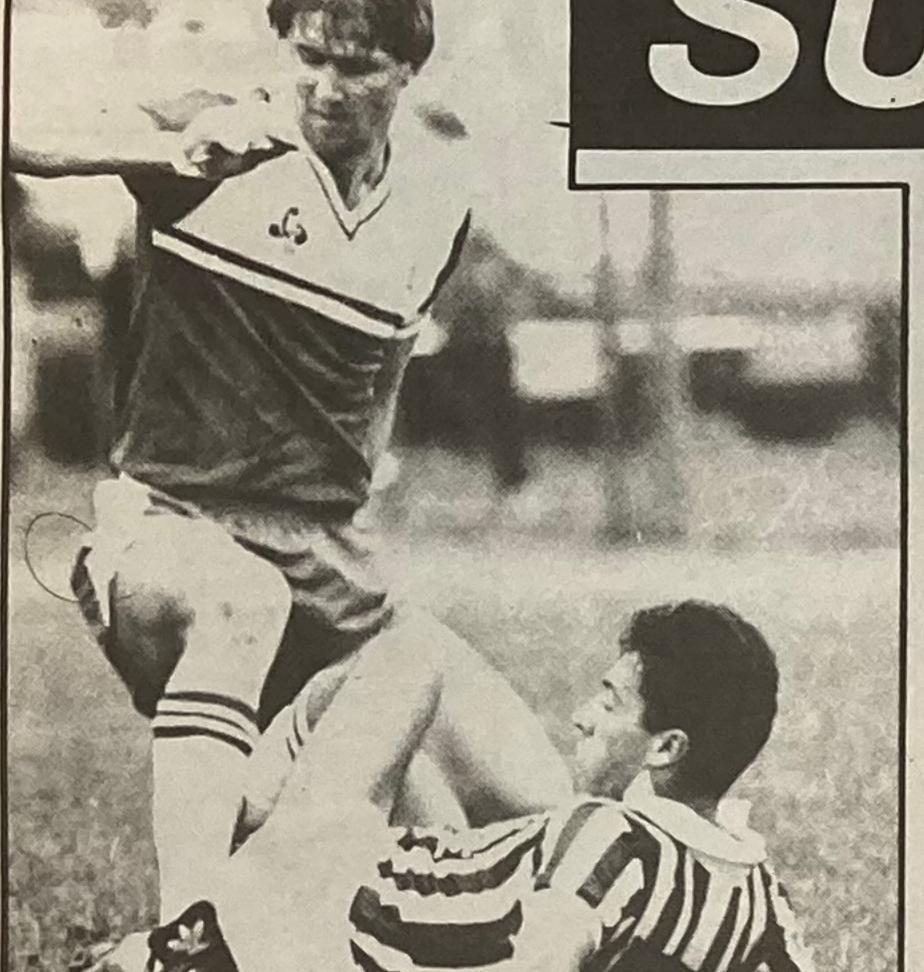


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• Graham French another victim of rough justice?









SOME OF THE BACKROOM BOYS

Youth coach John Webb & senior coach John Gardiner with Physio Roger Borg keeping a watchful eye on proceedings.

THE RECORD TO DATE

| MARCONI | . 0-6 |
|--------------------------------|-------|
| SYDNEY CROATIA | . 0-1 |
| APIA LEICHHARDT | . 1-0 |
| Carter | |
| BRISBANE LIONS | . 3-2 |
| Richardson, Clark, McLaren. | |
| JUVENTUS | . 3-3 |
| McLaren, Carter, Markovski. | |
| SOUTH MELBOURNE | 4-1 |
| Lennon (2), Clark, Campelj | |
| ST. GEORGE | 4-1 |
| Lennon, Parton, Clark, McLaren | |
| WOLLONGONG | 0-1 |

PRESTON MAKEDONIA 1-1 Jackson o.g. ADELAIDE CITY 0-0 MELBOURNE CROATIA 2-0 Clark, Campelj FOOTSCRAY1-1

SCORERS: Clark 4, Lennon 3, McLaren 3, Campelj 2, Carter 2, Parton 2, Markovski 1, Richardson 1, o.g. 1.



 Back row: Tom Markovski, (now Western Suburbs), Gary Hasler, John Waddell, Sean Keogh, Aki Kotzamichalis, Robert Markovac. Front row: Mark Lennon, Don McLaren, John Campelj, mascot Mathew Buhagir, Les Carter, Gary Clark, Jeff Faulkner, John Markovski.

A mere six months ago, Sunshine George Cross was fighting for its National League existence, and even though it eventually survived, few would have given it much hope of improving on last year's performance.

And when the first match of this campaign resulted in a 6-0 drubbing by Marconi, we all expected the worst.

But today, Georgie stands third on the League Ladder, highest placed of all the Melbourne clubs, and visiting teams have learned to have a healthy respect for the local Red Devils.

It's an amazing transformation and it hasn't been brought about by plunging into the transfer market either, that isn't Georgie's style.

When brilliant young Paul Trimboli went to South Melbourne at the end of last season it seemed that Georgie must go from bad to worse, but it didn't work out that way.

The team has scored 19 goals in 12 outings, and they have been shared between eight players, which speaks volumes for teamwork.

So what is the secret of Georgie's transformation?

Ask coach John Gardiner and he just shrugs his shoulders and says there is no secret, it's just hard work paying off.

But didn't the players work just as hard last year?

KEILOR

Of course they did, he responds, but the young players are growing more mature all the time, and as success breeds success, so they are beginning to believe in themselves more and more.

The arrival of John Waddell from Scotland has introduced a calming influence in the back four, and full-backs Andrew Marth and John Campelj look the more assured for it.

When Wollongong came to Chaplin Reserve, Marth virtually starved Alan Brazil out of the game, no mean feat that.

Sunshine George Cross revival is good news for the Melbourne scene, long may it continue.

On Sunday there should be a bumper crowd at Anderson Road to see Marconi, one of the glamour teams of the competition, and they-will all be hoping that Marconi goes home crying 'Mayday' 'Mayday'



FIXTURES REMAINING

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Round Eight Details

BULLEEN O HEIDELBERG 1 (Anastasiadis, pen. 67th).

At Veneto Club, Saturday, Referee M. Calafapietra. Sent off Ryanes (Heid.), Cautions Boin, Sells (B), Bordignon, Lucchesi (H).

BULLEEN: Contini 8 — Ruccia 7, Krajacic 7, Curulli 7, Boin 7 — Curcio 6, Trogrlic 6, Angele 6, Bozikas 6 — Lujic 6, Sella 6 (D'Amico 72nd). Coach lim Rooney.

HEIDELBERG: Banovic 7 - Kanesoulis 8, Patiniotis 6, Ousalkas 7, Bordignon 7 — Valentine 8, Theodosopoulos 6, Lucchesi 6, Raynes (sent of) - Anastasiadis 7, Morovic 6. Coach Terry Hennessy. Ansett Best Player Award: Valentine (H), Contini (B) 2, Kanesoulis (H) 1.

CAULFIELD CITY 2 (Harris, pen. 6th, Cozzella 15th) GREEN GULLY (Quigley).

At Princes Park, Saturday. Referee J. Santa Isabel.

CAULFIELD CITY: Madjer 5 — Bitonis 7, Harris 7, Fattore 6, Filipou 6 — Theoharous 8, Alagiozidis 6, Griffin 6, Hamakiotis 7 — Goutzioulis 6, Cozzella 6. Coach Rocco Ille.

GREEN GULLY: Sant 8 — Napoli 6, Farguarson 6, Cutler 6, Grimaud 6 — Wilson 6, Douglas 8, Quigley 6 - O'Donnell 6, Cannell 5, Smart 6. Coach Willie Vassallo. Ansett Best Player Award: Sant (G.G.) 3, Theoharous (C) 2, Douglas (G.G.) 1.

MORWELL FALCONS 1 (Gotis 36th) MARIBYRNONG 0

At North Crinigan Reserve. Referee M. Gaut. Cautions Reynolds Gotis MORWELL FALCONS: Reynolds 8 — Bennett 6, Clarke 7, Bruns 7, Gotis

6 — Jeff Doyle 6, Cassar 6, Drakeford 7, O'Callaghan 6 — Webster 6, Sokoluk 6. Coach Bobby McLachlan. MARIBYRNONG: Dzielakowski 6 - Farrugia 6 (de Bono 71st),

Stojcevski 6, Innes 7, Smolarek 6 - Watson (Czapnik 29th, 6), Baran 7, Chetcuti 6, Bonk 6 — Lakic 7, Warszawski 7. Coach Jim McIntyre. Ansett Best Player Award: Reynolds 8 (M.F.) 3, Clarke (M.F.) 2, Warszawski (M) 1.

ST ALBANS 4 (Celic 50th, 78th, Rastocic 8th, Popovski 89th) OAKLEIGH O.

At Churchill Reserve, Saturday. Referee J. Rutter. Cautions Nicolaides, J. Guscic (Oak.).

ST ALBANS: Grgic 7 — Dragovic 7, Colina 7, Gagula 7, Jurcic 7 — Macasevic 6 (Adbaltam 81st), Duzel 6, Culina 7, Rastocic 7 — Kelic 7,

Popovski 7. Coach Tony Vrzina. OAKLEIGH: Kardamitsis 6 — Nicolaides 6, Politis 6, Guscic 5 (Laletas 66th), Halford 6 — Livingstone 6, Vardaxis 6, Ross 7, Dick (Stamatis 19th,

6) - Ward 7, Gourlias 6. Coach Takis Sviggos. Ansett Best Player Award: Kelic (St.A) 3, Popovski (St.A) 2, Culina (St.A) 1.

SPRINGVALE CITY O RINGWOOD CITY 2 (Nijholt 29th, Davie

At Ross Reserve Sunday. Referee R. Butler. SPRINGVALE CITY: Boland 7 — Kral 6, Bryden, Bozic, White 7 — Findlay 6, Hennessy 5 (Settle 68th), Bell 5, Rau 5 (Kelly 78th) — Morrey 6, Black

6. Coach Gus MacLeod. RINGWOOD CITY: Janssen 7 - Whitehouse 7, Nolan 6, May 6,

Cumming 7 — Nelson 6, Corvan 7, Haupt 7, Davie 7 — Middlemast 7, Niiholt 7. Coach Hans Petersen. Ansett Best Player Award: Nijholt (R) 3, Davie (R) 2, Middlemast (R) 1.

CROYDON CITY 3 (French 30th, Humble 43rd, van Egmond 65th)

BOX HILL 2 (Burton 75th, Roodhouse 82nd). At Town Park, Sunday. Referee A. McHugh. CROYDON CITY: M. Runje 7 — Brown 6, Brack 6, McIntosh 8, Langsbury

6 - van Egmond 6 (O'Shea 85th), R. Runje 7, Campbell 7 - G. Runje 6 (Harbison 80th), Humble 7, French 7. Coach Miron Bleiberg. BOX HILL: McKinlay 6 — J. Mori 6, Bain 6 (Mazzagetti H.T.), Martinucci 7, Roodhouse 8 — Brimmer 6, Burton 7, McAleer 6, Thomas 6 — D. Mori 6,

Aretis 6. Coach John Brown. Ansett Best Player Award: Rodhouse (BH) 3, McIntosh (Croy) 2, Humble (Croy) 1.

THOMASTOWN 0 NORTHCOTE CITY 1 (Tsangos 26th) At Partridge Reserve Sunday. Referee C. Bambridge. Cautions, Leonardos (N), Carfora (T).

THOMASTOWN: Raponi 6 - Arcoraci 7, Mihailidis 6, Pianalto 6, de Propertis (Raguso 20th, 7) - Dougherty 7, Carfore 6 (Pacca 68th), Lewis 7, De Martino 6 - Athersych 6, McGuinness 6. Coach Bill Murray. NORTHCOTE CITY: Turudia 6 — Leonardos 6, Palmaricciotti Kouremenos 6, J. Constantinou 6 - N. Constantinou 6, Woodall Tsangos 7, Bekiaris 7 — Ramos 7, Gilder 8. Coach Roy McLaren. Ansett Best Player Award: Cilder (N) 3, Woodall (N) 2, Dougherty (T) 1.

WESTERN SUBURBS 2 (Kopsaftis 68th, Metaxas 80th) FAWKNER O.

At Ralph Reserve, Sunday. N. Zacharidis. WESTERN SUBURBS: Hatzilazarou 7 — Markovski 6, Kagioglou, Esposito 6, Pender 7 - Daley 8, Kopsaftis 6 (Stefanidis 85th), Hamill 6, Vo (Roumpos 62nd) — Tuck 6, Metaxas 7. Coach Jimmy Condilis FAWKNER: Wilson 6 - Walsh 6, Henderson 6, Schipano 6, Angele 6 -Sabatino 6 (Orlando 74th), Cullen 7, Verechia 6 (Jankulovski 74th) -Brown 6, Hennessy 8, Stenson 7. Coach Mike Lynn.

Best Player Award: Daley (WS) 3, Hennessy (F) 2, Metaxas (WS) 1.

PACIFIC TIMBER State League Ladder

| | FIRS | 15 | | | | | |
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| | P | W | D | L | F | A | PI |
| HEIDELBERG | 8 | 7 | 0 | 1 | 16 | 4 | 14 |
| NORTHCOTE CITY | 8 | 6 | 2 | 0 | 15 | 3 | 14 |
| CROYDON CITY | 8 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 10 | . 6 | 12 |
| ST ALBANS | 8 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 16 | 10 | 12 |
| Caulfield City | 8 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 10 | 8 | 9 |
| Green Gully | 8 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 9 | 7 | 9 |
| Thomastown | 8 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 7 | 9 | 9 |
| Maribyrnong | 8 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 11 | 11 | 7 |
| Box Hill | 8 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 11 | 13 | 6 |
| Mor/Falcons | 8 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 4 | 7 | 6 |
| Fawkner | 8 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 7 | |
| Ringwood City | 8 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 10 | 14 | - |
| Western Suburbs | 8 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 9 | 14 | |
| Bulleen | 8 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 8 | - |
| Oakleigh . | 8 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 11 | 5 |
| Springvale City | 8 | 1 | 3 | 4 | 3 | 11 | |
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RESERVES CAULFIELD CITY O GREEN GULLY 3 **BULLEEN 5 HEIDELBERG 1** MORWELL FALCONS 5 MARIBYRNONG O ST ALBANS 2 OAKLEIGH O WESTERN SUBURBS 1 FAWKNER O WESTERN SUBURBS 1 FAWKNER O CROYDON CITY 1 BOX HILL O THOMASTOWN O NORTHCOTE CITY 5 SPRINGVALE CITY O RINGWOOD CITY 1

> State League Reserves Ladder

| | P | W | D | L | F | A | Pt |
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| Northcote City | 8 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 31 | 9 | 15 |
| Green Gully | 8 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 19 | 9 | 12 |
| Mor/Falcons | 8 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 15 | 6 | 12 |
| Box Hill | 8 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 24 | 9 | 11 |
| Fawkner | 8 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 14 | 8 | 11 |
| Caulfield City | 8 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 18 | 11 | 9 |
| Ringwood City | 8 | 4 | 1 | 3 | 18 | 13 | 9 |
| St Albans | 8 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 12 | 15 | 8 |
| Maribyrnong | 8 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 13 | 19 | 7 |
| Thomastown | 8 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 13 | 21 | 7 |
| Western Suburbs | 8 | 3 | 1 | 4 | 7 | 21 | 7KI |
| Croydon City | 8 | 3 | 0 | 5 | 9 | 8 | 6 |
| Heidelberg | 8 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 18 | 19 | 6 |
| Bulleen | 8 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 15 | 17 | 6 |
| Springvale City | 8 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 3 | 24 | 0 |
| Oakleigh | 8 | 0 | 0 | 8 | 5 | 28 | 0 |

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ANSETT AWARD Leaders after Round 8

Kardamitsis (Oak)

Theoharous (Caul)

5. Banovic (Heid)

Cullen (Fawk)

Davidson (B.H.

Raynes (Heid)

Patiniotis (Heid)

Daley (Ests)

Sant (G.G.)

Burton (B.H.)

Curulli (Bull)

Cumming (Ring)

Dougherty (T'town)

Kostrazewa (Mar)

Turudia (North)

Webster (M.F.)

4. Bruns (M.F.)

10. Duzel (St.A) 9. M. Runje (Croy) Contini (Bull) McIntosh (Croy) 8. Higgins (Thom) Hatzilazarou (W.S.) Quigley (G.G.) Warszawski (Mar) Woodall (North) 7. Culina (St.Al)

Gilder (North) Nijholt (Ring) Ramos (North) Roodhouse (B.H.) 6. Anastasiadis (Heid) Douglas (G,G) McKinlay (B.H. Lucchesi (Heid)



GREEN GULLY 1988 Back Row: Robert Farquarson, Steven Duglas, Colin Quigley, Charlie Sant, Joe O'Donnell, Gary Front Row: Ken Smart, Robert Napoli, Mark Wilson, Robert Manzella, Mike Doherty, Robert

State League Preview

same League... the mind seven games, but have you sweeper position at Box

The Tribunal's decision So I had to ring the VSF for clarification, and listen carefully, because this one t appears that a

sending off before the game, or at the half-time interval, or after the game is the subject of a special report, and until Tribunal meets to consider it, the player can

Hands up all those people who knew this... thought so.

Graham French's

name among the

scorers in the State

French's, I thought, I

off on April 17 in con-

troversial circumstances,

here he is bobbing up

again and scoring too.

Sunday night.

Even by our standards, this is the biggest load of bulldust ever.

For years we have advocated passionately that a player should be allowed to continue playing until his case comes up, as is the case with the Football League and all other well-run bodies.

Now the VSF endorses this view, by allowing French to play whilst continuing to make players

> Leading Goalscorers

5. Kelic (St.Alb) Nijholt (Ring) Popovski (St.Alb) 4. Duzel (St.Alb) Goutzioulis (Caul) Pappas (Heid) Warszawski (Mar)

3. Anastasiadis (Heid) Burton (Box) Brimmer (Box) Cozzella (Caul) de Bono (Mar) McGuinness (Thom) becoming more serious by Morovic (Heid) the week. Ramos (Croyd) Woddall (North) ...

2. Aretis (Box) Humble (Croy) Kopsaftis (West) refereeing. O'Donnell (G.G.) Przbyla (Mar) Quigley (G.G.) Roumpos (West) Theododopoulos (Heid) Thodis (North) Trogrlic (Bull) Tuck (West)

Verechia (Fawk)

serve an automatic one been as staggered week's suspension if sent off during the course of

How can there be two different sets of rules for the same players in the League results on boggles.

(Not just my mind, There msut be two either... I rang the Chairman, Mr Jack Reilly to know Graham was sent ask why French was allowed to play and off the cuff he didn't know either.)

> on this one is going to riva Soloman's, unless decides to demote referee Sam Zoumas to the lowest reaches of the Amateur

News because we would seven games. be the laughing stock of the soccer world. You can imagine the

jokes...when is a send-off not a send-off, answer, why at half-time of course, but you mustn't play in the

Never mind the redcards, it's going to be red races all right unless someone steps in with a

sensible solution. What the hell a referee cote for top spot, but its could be thinking of to reserve team is down in pursue a player into a eleventh spot and not dressing room to carry on looking too convincing an argument at half-time is either. beyond me, but I'd better keep quiet or I'll be getting Maybe its all in the

It appears that you can something, criticise players with impunity, but referees are Northcote's beginning to think themselves sacrosanct.

Some referees, that is, not the few good ones.

dent of the referees, Chris Bambridge says he's concerned about the strained relationship between the media and referees and hopes to organise Cain Reserve. seminar soon between senior referees and the

I hope it comes off soon, and more power to his elbow, because this crisis of confidence in refereeing standards

BUT enough about One of the most fascin-

ating aspects of this heap. season's State League is the revival of Northcote

Oh yes, I know, we've talked before about how Bleiberg gave me well the first team is doing, glowing account of the joint leader of the league game played by the third and still unbeaten after Runje, Robert, in the they receive Fawkner.

BRIAN JAMES

RICOH CAMERAS SPONSON DOCKERTY CUP

NORTHCOTE V CROYDON IS TOPS

Bleiberg isn't given to

play for Australia in two

He's no Charlie Yankos

he says, he's the thought-

ful type and always uses

the ball well.

seen the reserves' record? Top of the league ladder, also unbeaten and with 26 goals to its credit

• French decision baffling

Last year, as we all know too well, Northcote just survived relegation by the skin of its teeth, and its reserve team finished an undistinguished eleventh, having won just six games.

Neverthless, I'll have to This year, its reserves plump for Northcote to have already won six win and keep up the I just hope this story games, equalling last doesn't get into FIFA season's record after only Heidelberg takes on

> What's the secret? I'm Olympic Village and this if coach Roy could be a very close Park. McLaren knew he'd bottle encunter. it and sell it at \$20 a bottle.

Maybe it's confidence but then that confidence hasn't rubbed off where Heidelberg is concerned,

It's first team is up there, vying with North-

mind, but I'll tell you

The Victorian Presi- esting tussles coming up muir and Mick Livingthis weekend.

> The top encounter must be the clash between Northcote City and Croydon City at John

vides a sensible referee, the nick of time. this should be a game and

ation the fact that Tony Western Suburbs which Redmond will be missing could be very hard for Wests. out of the Croydon back four and Graham French might be suspended, the Vrzina's men are in rampant favour Northcote. especially on its own goalscoring form.

But Redmond might not be missed all that much. Croydon coach Miron four goals in eight outings, a poor return when consider they have Doug Brown and Kees Storm up front.

This weekend's games

likely winners in capitals. superlatives... well not too Springvale City (draw), often anyway, and he says Caloola Reserve. ST. that Robert Runje will ALBANS v Western Suburbs, Churchhill Reserve. SUNDAY: Northcote City Croydon City, John Cain Box Reserve. FALCONS, MORWELL MARYBYRNONG v Bulleen

Raleigh Reserve. Heidelberg v Caulfield City (draw) Olympic Village. GREEN GULLY v Fawkner, Gully

Reserve. Ringwood City v THOMASTOWN, Jubile

Heidelberg had Willie Raynes sent off last week, and since this was a real send-off, with a real red card, it means he will miss this game.

Heidelberg has enough manpower to win this game, but it won't be easy. because Caulfield after a stuttering start is now firing and starting to stick the ball about as it did last

Springvale City visits those Oakleigh and Vale's wiseacres who predicted coach Gus MacLeod will winning be hoping that all the bubble would burst are be- paperwork will be comginning to look a bit sick. pleted for his twonew Scottish strikers. Steve There are some inter- Kennan from Stenhousestone from Junior club

Cumnock.

They are both strikers and judging by Vale's goalscoring Providing the VSF pro- record thay have arrived in

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Saturday's only other match is the local derby Taking into consider- between St. Albans and Saints had a stunning win over big-spending Oakleigh last week and Tony

> Green Gully disappointed coach Willie Vassallo last week at Caulfield, but with return of Steve McClelland the Greens have the chance to redeem themselves on Sunday when

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Ringwood Un 0 Doveton 2

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| Brunswick UJ v Adelaide City | East Geelong v Berwick City |
| Sunshine GX v Marconi | Glenroy v South Yarra |
| NSL YOUTH LEAGUE | Lalor v Springvale Condors |
| - SUNDAY | Monash University v Oakleigh Suburbs |
| Clarinda v Clifton Hill 1pm South Melb v Preston 12.30 pm | Monbulk v Waverley/Mulgrave United DIVISION THREE — SATURDAY |
| Brunswick UJ v Caulf. City 12.30pm | Carrum United v Brintons |
| Heidelberg Un Alexander v Melb Croatia | Kensington United v Ascot St Marks |
| 1pm | Meadow Park v Forest Hill |
| Bye v. Footscray | South Dandenong v Uni of Melb |
| Sunshine GX v Nunawading City | Parkmore v South Springvale |

Waverley/Mulgrave Un v Oakleigh 1pm...

Prahran/Brighton v North Geelong

DIVISION THREE - SATURDAY

Clarinda v Hawthorn

Hamlyn Rangers v Coburg

Lalor United v Bell Park

Moorabbin City v Seaford United

Corio/Geelong United v Mornington

Moreland Park Rangers v Geelong.....

Yallourn v Springvale United

DIVISION FOUR - SATURDAY

Ferntree Gully v East Bruns/Ivanh

Holland Park v Chelsea

Karingal United v Boronia.....

Williamstown v Langwarrin.....

Keysborough v Rosanna.....

Pascoe Vale v Bentleigh Greens.....

PROVISIONAL LEAGUE

DIVISION ONE - SATURDAY

Clayton v Central City.....

Diamond Valley United v Ballarat.....

Malvern City v Ardeer.....

Melton v West Meadows.....

North Sunshine v Regent.....

Mossfiel Rangers v Prahran.....

Brunswick City v Bye.....

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| eigh v Springvale City | Kew Eagles v Mitcham United |
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| Green Gully v Fawkner | DIVISION ONE - SUNDAY |
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| Ringwood City v Thomastown | Collingwood City v Balwyn City |
| | Diggers Rest v Anstey United |
| VICTORIAN LEAGUE | Bye v Phillip Institute |
| DIVISION ONE - SATURDAY | Endeavour Hills v Northern Suburbs |
| Altona Gate v Albion | Waverley Wanderers v Melbourne Uni |
| Essendon City v Dandenong | Hawthorn United v Latrobe University |
| Nunawading City v Mordialloc | Keilor United v Bye |
| Mooroolbark v Werribee | |
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| Broadmeadows City v Knox City | East Richmond v Diamond Valley |
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| DIVISION TWO - SUNDAY |
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| East Richmond v Diamond Valley |
| Intercity v Concorde |
| Maccabi v Camberwell Grammar |
| Oakleigh United v Upfield |
| Furlan United v RMIT |
| Old Scotch v Yarra United |
| NORTH EASTERN SOCCER LEAGUE SUNDAY CUP FINAL — McEWAN OVAL |
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INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE ROUND-UP

hotted up, with Glenroy Soxa, Apollo United and ANZ Bank

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Port United v St Kilda.....

Ringwood Rovers v Wantirna.....

when Tom Alipanocould have had a second at the 40 minute mark when his powerful drive struck the crossbar but deflected

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the ball home.

strong free and from 25 goalkeeper,

only 8 minutes for Con Spiders. scores when he cleverly The other three his side's equaliser, but Helena.

ANZ went ahead at the and Fibremakers 1-1, keeper, who parried to was bandoned at the 63rd 68th minute, when Nat Swinburne and Youth safety. Little was put through United 3-3, and St It was not until the 75th which saw 2 players get with a delightfully Bernards Old Collegians minute that Youth finally their marching orders. Armstrong pass, swerved although there is some the goalkeeper and rolled doubt as to whether this metre drive found its ways in Division 4,

match, with Mr Ron ball into the goal.

match went to full time.

For most of the match, The Swinburne-Youth The 3-3 result was, on College 4-2, Westall Strebe Angelovski had United match was a see- balance, a fair one, as the PIPA returned to the kept former State League saw affair. Kadir Emniyet two sides were evenly winning list with a 5-3 great, Jimmy Armstrong opened the scoring for matched throughout. decision over an imunder tight control, but at Youth at the 15th minute. There was a sorting of proving Embassy Taxis,

hesitation allowed Arm- tion he bore down on the Division 2A, with Dandy fident ball to the top righthand to clear the ball, only to Flamingo swamping Tramways and went down corner for the Banker's see his attempted clear- CSUV 6-0, and Preston 1-0. ance kick rebound from Pythons demolishing a Next week, interest played in excellent spirit, leaving Emniyet the ited 8-0.

contrl without inter- Wayne Currie of Swin-

blasted wide a despairing Two points behind are

resumption, the game was goals already, the Kew again all tied up when side is obviously missing Glenroy Doxa finally through and had no diffi- Bowler, no broke thrugh when they culty in placing his shot Box Hill.

At the 55th minute, the top of Division Swinburne went ahead West, when they anni-Middle Park won again, when, after an excellent hilated Sunbury 10-1. As this time at the expense of build-up down the right the scores indicate, it was Footscray United, by a 4- wing, Gavin Mitchell one-way traffic for most of margin. In Division latched on to the ball and this game, although Sun-2M, the biggest winning with an expertise worthy bury struggled bravely goalmouth rebound and could have had a second at could have had a second had a seco West Footscray Lerian, shot which buried itself Creswick Town

with Kardonis, Reis and into the far corner netting. suffered their second Figueroa each notching Only 2 minutes had successive loss at home, passed when a Youth going down 1-3 to Kinds Park Heights player was brought down Nippondenso, Whittlesea went down by the smallest in the area. Emniyet snuck in 2-1 against St regrouped, and it took of margins, being beaten stepped forward confi- Albans Wanderers, while at home 2-1 by Coomoora dently, placed the ball on Altona North Tarxien the spot in the sure expec- drew at home 1-1 with tation of his hat-trick and Northern Cross St lobbed the advancing matches in this Division made the mistake of The Altona Heights-

Jimmy vs Northcote United 2-2, managed to salvage a RAAF College con-

fast-paced and spectacu- clashes can be expected. lar 2-2 draw.

CSUV attack to perfection, with Footscray Lerian. Windemu (2).

CSUV, Berwick United PIPA v Ferris United. and Dandenong United, Footscray United all in the relegation zone, ANZ Bank: Altona North will improve as they gain Tarxien v Swinburne: experience, so anything Kings Park Heights v can still happen, and it Altona Ilinden; Youth would be no surprise to United v Dandenong Unsee any or all of them ited; Essendon Tramway move further up the table. v Hampton Park; Middle

THE competition for rupting the flow of play. burne was left unattended East with a resounding 6-Division 1 honors has He paid tribute in turn to for a split second, and 1 victory over Garden

were draws - Montrose shooting too close to the Keilor Old Boys match minute following a fracas

the 80th minute a second's In a one-on-one situathe men from the boys in and while a super-conwho Dynamo accounting for Floridia came up against a metres he rocketted the advanced beyond his area Rowville United 3-0, full-strength Preston

This was a match the attacker's body, luckless Dandenong Unturns to Cup encounters, both during and after the simple task of walking the In other games of both the League Cup Windsor beat Berwick and the Reserves Cup Dixon maintaining tight Eleven minutes later, United 4-2, and North being played. There are Dandenong Sparrows and 38 matches scheduled in Thomastown fought out a all, and many exciting

> struggled LEAGUE CUP DRAW: Matches bravely in their match, but played may 1 - 10am kick off. were outclassed by a Sunbury v Keeley much better disciplined Kings; Taxation v Dandy Flamingo, who worked Dynamo; St Albanboth the offside trap and Wanderers v Nipponthe breakaway counter- denso; Montrose v West

goals coming from Sylvio Dallas v Australian Durand, Enzo Marateo, Airlines; Garden City v Malcolm Bethwick, Alain Oakleigh City; Highpoint and Ermias v Laminex; Bowater v Apollo United.

Salesian College Old this Boys v Creswick Town: highly Flemington Floridia v Division, Altona Heights: Keilor points Old Boys v St Albans separating the top 7 sides. Dynamo; Springvale Eagles v North Danden-There is no doubt that ong Sparrows; Westall

Dallas United have Park v Preston Tramestablished a clear break way; Fibremakers United at the top of Division 3 v Glenroy Doxa United.



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 GOLDEN GREEKS YOUTH SUPER LEAGUE CHAMPIONS Goalkeeper Victor Alex Christidis, Alex Christidis, Mark Aretis, George Vasis, Foti Dimitrilos, Philip Lucas, John Dimitrilos.

 PAO RUNNERS UP Jim Triantafylopoulos George Kountrourogi Jimmy Asimacopoulos Michael Karak Andrew Callegaro Raff Desens Carmello Calafiore



 A large crowd saw the Golden Greeks fight back from a 3.0 deficit against the strong PAO team to finally win 5-4 in a highly entertaining final.

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HOW YOUR TEAM FARED

Colakoglu,

went away disappointed won by Boronia I goal to

August and only four of eve of Anzac Day! appeared on the team repetitio of the 0-0 seniors Two of Holland Park's from the end when playernew signings are big Alex coach Hamish Young and

Elgueta scored a hat- area. EAS NEWS...OVERSEAS NEWS...OVERSEAS NEWS...OVERSEAS NEWS...OVERSEAS

UK soccer scores, tables

2 Newcastle 0, Derby 2 Southampton 1 1 Tottenham 0, Oxford 1 Everton 1

gated Prahran.

Ian came anywhere near the VICTORIAN LEAGUE

Best 3 for Boronia: Dino Milosevic, Gary

A crowd of over 250 The reserves match was Magnano, S. Hackett. bee mounted attack after Park had recruited heavily Yes, it was the Brits and sincemeeting Boronia last the Turks at it again on the

game until 10 minutes sidefoot past keeper and Eel" L. Elgueta from rele- player-coach F. Taptil, from close inside the goal

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Boronia over-ran his side Boronia Reserves have fiercely home. With under pressure, and South Dandenong in the Grimwade. ina 5-3 win last Sept- also had the best of these almost half an hour gone a 17minutes into the half ember. In the event home meetings scoring 4 long ball from defence saw Tolmie played a ball into Marshall and Elgueta points out of a possible 6. Azzopardi outpace his de- the Altona box which were well contained by Best 3 for Boronia: Paul fender and drive an un- Spicer managed to pick up

many Torgay and K. Sen.

Division One Werribee v Nunawading City at Galvin Park, Werribee

F. Petricca, G. Lo also tipped round the post lined up not one of them teams. Grasso, G. De Amicis by Meletis. Cazpnik and L. Elgueta. (G. Calarco-73rd), S. In desperation, Werrifrom Nicolidis.

C: attack and looked to have NUNAWADING at this scoreless draw nil but it was a rought G.Sullivan, C. Calafiore, got back into the game between two of the sides in affair with 3 players on S. Nellies, A. Christidis when Nellies was the top four of the league. each side having to be (T. Neal80th), C. Barker, adjudged to have handled. Ambitious Holland chastised by the referee. K. Taylor, D. Azzopardi, However, Magnano shot wide from the resultant I. Greener, S. Randazzo, spot kick, and Nuna-M. Boggero, C. Jerez. wading played out time for AFTER Werribee had hit their first win of the

> VICTORIAN LEAGUE Divsion Two Doncaster Rovers Soccer Club Inc. Sharrocks, R. Hands, P. Scarlett, D. Aitken, A. the tallest player afield, Thompson, H. Mercer, R. rose head and shoulders Toal, D. Beattie, above the defence to head Politidis, C. Cooper, D. Hatzapoulos, S. Burke,

> > VISITORS: H. Graham, J. Malliaras, R. Tolmie, G. Talia, J. Twine, P. Spicer, Nicolidis, A. Alford.

WITH ideal conditions

Malliaros crossed the ball into the Altona box which was cleared by Aitken, who gave Twine the oportunity to pinpoint a corner captain Neil Skinner who with a superb headed goal

Altona worked hard to this season, the Altona

Altona had a let off when after two screaming shots Schaffer, M. Jusic,

After some adroit play managed to head over the fight every inch of the way Doncaster nearly paid

Twine cleared off the line from an Altona corner.

(Belgium time): Waregem vs Charlerol, Cercie Bruges vs Standard Liege, Club Liege vs St Truiden and Molenbeek vs Club Bruges.

FRANCE

FRENCH CUP THIRD-ROUND SECOND-LEG
Auxerre 2 Lille 1 (2-2, Lille wins on away soal),
Nice 1 Toulouse 1 (2-2, Nice wins on penalties),
Sochaux 1 Montpellier 0 (Sochaux 3-2), Le Havre 1
Reims 0 (Le Havre 3-0), Lens 1 Sete 0 (Lens 1-0),
Quimper 2 La Roche 2 (Quimper 5-3), Creteil 0
Chatellerault 0 (0-0, Chatellerault wins on penalties). Played Friday: Mulhouse 0 Metz 2 (Matz 3-0).

Reber for Rovers second visitors in the box seat. when Paul Storey was

through the middle and his keeper Graham. Towards the end of a defender. The visitors spot. game Fernandes and resultant corner kick, up a certain Rovers goal, Roggero's header was with three Rovers players credit to players from both Storey with a clear path to could finish off the cross

> **PROVISIONAL** Division 4 Riversdale v. Northern Ut Walmaggia, McCaskie, D. Dison, Clarke, R. McPhee, Jencik, P. Molloy, M. H Grey, P. Henderson, M. Cherdron, M. Rowley, R.

Riversdale climbed into by beating Northern Utd 2-0 in a game that was spiteful and at times con-

Scoring in the first half by M. Cherdron, Riversgood work by R. McPhee through M. H. Grey and the game for Riversdale,

despite the plethora of season, Riversdale were able to go to equalise and then 4

. . . McNeight, S. Burns. **PROVISIONAL** LEAGUE **Division Three** Warner Reserve-Springvale, 23rd South Springvale 3 v. South HOME TEAM: M. Perree, C.

H. Tsekouras, G. Plakas, S. Petrou, T. Emmanouilidis, O. Emmanouilidis, J Simos, Z. Blazevski, M. VISITORS: (J. Emazovski-

the referee adjudged Talia 66, Yildirim-85) S. Fus, offside in the Altona net R. Lumani, H. Fasal, H. Malliaros and Elmazovski, Y. Gonullu, Elmazovski, S. Yildirim,

THE young Springvale

perience probably tipped two good saves in the the scales in favour of the space of five mins. Sava Following a 1-1 scoreline three up before half time at half-time a hairline after a good move

lead soon after the break. To their credit Eltham home side were on level half time and were re-Gonullu followed by M. Cirka scoring. This

South Springvale's pulled down in the area minute, Taylor broke foiled by the Rovers third goal came from a free and Terry Grimwade kick that was deflected be made no mistake from the closing stages and hung on a shocking miss kick by an to win the game that was a Eltham defender left Paul ...

Smith, M. Broxham,

D'Angelo, G. Di Iorio,

M. Wells, R. Ruffolo, C.

BALLARAT: D. Donavan, S.

Riccioni, J. Calenda,

Martino, S. Biondo.

Glare, M. Duggan.

P. Smith. BALLARAT: S.

VICTORIAN LEAGUE

Division Two

Waverley City v Eltham at

Paylou (Res. keeper)

. . . **PROVISIONAL PROVISIONAL Division One** LEAGUE Clayton 2 — Ballarat **Division One** CLAYTON: C. Szabo, Diamond Valley United D'Angelo, B. Potiris,

minutes from time put the and they made it four

HOME TEAM: Csizmadia. Kucaynski, Gawson, J. Saliba, Gatt, Busuttil Benecke, O'Connor, M.

goal and he made no

Armstrong, D. Romein, W. McNeight, G. Rykers, Drapper, Love, Dodd, S. Burns, P. Baldock, J. Litchfield, Kerr, Flaherty, Winton, P. Kennedy, G. Foster, Coyle, Tucker, Gunn, G. Horvatek, L. Kelly, Beer, Tuck. DIAMOND Valley IN very windy conditions Clayton attacked from the defeated record in a game start and dictating most of which never rose to any the play. However, it was great heights and some

terrible decisions by the before the first goal was United have developed Against the run of play a habit of giving the Clayton's keeper Szabo opposition a start and this fumbled a save and the was the case again when ball was scrambled into two defenders made a the net giving Ballarat the hash of clearing a simple ball and Ardeers Benecke made no mistake from a even with both teams having chances. With a 1-

attack with G. Di Iorio defence to pieces. It took Central defender Phil 0 lead the home team were in no mood to let the game making many forges into on and record the second minutes before the end slip and gave the United Smith again scored in a defence a torrid time in the opening period of the give Clayton the winner Best Players CLAYTON However, United got G.Di Iorio, C. Riccioni,

their act together and Coyle began to give the home defence a few headaches. During a period of intense United presure a defender handled the ball and Coyle made no mistake with the spot kick With the game evenly poised both teams had chances but it was the Perree, K. Patterson G. home team who took the Droudge, T. Grimwade lead and the points when (capt.), M. Budd (inj. P. M. Saliba scored from Storey 20th min.), R. close in after the United Parkin, S. Rusmir, G. defence again failed to Ireson, V. Stojlevic, K.

Soccer Star detailed some M. Cirka, P. Cirka, state league coaches com-Bonnici, Briggs, Rappos, Start, Norton, Moulas, standard of referees, they Hunter, should be grateful they Shevels, Bunce. (Res. don't play in the lower echoed by coaches Norris

mins. Budd hitting the Litchfield, Hamilton and Grimwade and Geoff won 3-0 to bring their tally Ireson putting them 2 up. to 19 in 4 games. Best Eltham came back and were McLean, Clarke and In the final analysis ex- Mark Perree had to make Mowat.

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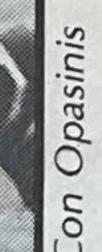


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